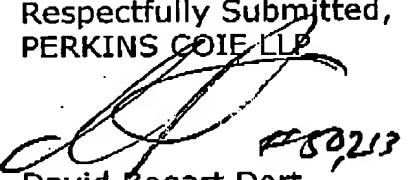


**REMARKS**

The Applicant has added drawing in FIG. 1D is submitted in response to the Examiner's objection in the Quayle action of December 16, 2003, stating that the "predetermined breaking points" were not adequately shown in FIGS. 1A to 1C. The predetermined breaking points were supported by Page 6, lines 5-7 and shown by Fig. 1A. However, for the purposes of clarity, they are now shown by another example in Fig. 1D, and no new matter has been added.

A Notice of Allowance is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to discuss any remaining issues with Applicant's counsel by contacting them at the numbers listed below.

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